ADJUTANT AND INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE, Richmond, October 2, 1862.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 74.

- I. The execution of the act approved April 16th, 1862, commonly called the Conscription Act, and of all the amendments thereto, is suspended by direction of the President, in the States of Kentucky and Missouri. Troops from those States will, until further orders, be received into the Confederate service under the acts passed by the Confederate Congress prior to the passage of the act above referred to, the execution of which is hereby suspended.
- II. The attention of officers and all others concerned is called to the fact that General Orders No. 72, published incorrectly in the Richmond Enquirer of September 30th, and the Richmond Whig of October 1st and 2d, was published correctly on the 1st instant and thereafter in the Enquirer, and on the 3d instant and thereafter in the Whig.
- III. All furloughed, sick and wounded soldiers, will have transportation furnished them to their homes and back, where their furloughs are of sufficient length to warrant it.

By order.

S. COOPER,
Adjutant and Inspector General.